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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 2nd Saturday in 1923 (13th January 1923).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923: This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7			
		I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.			Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	0 47	0 00	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..					
	,, City & Taluk	0 32	0 09	0 32	0 22	0 10					
	Hoskote	0 25	0 16	0 25	0 24	0 01					
	Dodballapur	0 00	0 15	0 00	0 23	— 0 23	Rice, 2nd sort		4·75	4·75	7·00
	Nelamangala	0 43	0 15	0 43	0 21	0 22					
	Kankanhalli	0 29	0 02	0 29	0 07	0 27	Ragi		9·00	9·00	16·00
	Magadi	0 68	0 03	0 68	0 29	0 39					
	Channapatna	0 10	0 01	0 10	0 08	0 02	Kulthi		10·00	7·50	12·00
	Anekal	0 30	0 04	0 30	0 16	0 14					
	Devanhalli	0 38	0 13	0 38	0 28	0 10	Kadale		6·00	5·00	7·00
	Closepet	0 28	0 04	0 28	0 10	0 18					
	District average...	0 30	0 09	0 30	0 19	0 11					
KOLAR.	Kolar	0 70	0 13	0 70	0 24	0 46					
	Bowringpet	0 95	0 28	0 95	0 45	0 50	Rice, 2nd sort.		4·50	4·50	8·00
	Chintamani	0 33	0 11	0 33	0 15	0 18					
	Mulbagal	0 16	0 27	0 16	0 38	— 0 22	Ragi		10·00	9·00	18·00
	Sidlaghatta	0 40	0 04	0 40	0 09	0 31					
	Chikballapur	0 40	0 09	0 40	0 14	0 26	Kulthi		6·50	6·50	10·75
	Bagepalli	0 20	... ...	0 20	0 05	0 15					
	Goribidnur	0 20	0 11	0 20	0 15	0 05	Kadale		4·50	4·50	9·25
	Malur	0 46	0 15	0 46	0 23	0 23					
	Srinivaspur	0 17	0 10	0 17	0 17	... ...					
	Gudibanda	0 30	... ...	0 30	0 08	22					
	District average...	0 39	0 12	0 39	0 19	0 20					
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	0 40	0 09	0 40	0 13	0 27					
	Maddagiri	0 00	0 20	0 00	0 28	— 0 28	Rice, 2nd sort.		5·00	4·50	8·00
	Chiknayakanhalli	0 24	0 05	0 24	0 23	0 01					
	Sira	0 13	0 04	0 13	0 37	0 24	Rag		9·50	9·00	18·00
	Gubbi	0 15	0 00	0 15	0 07	0 08					
	Tiptur	0 13	0 00	0 13	0 04	0 09	Kulthi		12·00	8·00	10·00
	Pavagada	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 33	— 0 33					
	Kunigal	0 35	0 07	0 35	0 11	0 24	Kadale		5·00	5·00	8·80
	Koratagere	0 05	0 14	0 05	0 20	— 0 15					
	Turuvekere	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 14	— 0 14					
	District average...	0 15	0 07	0 15	0 19	— 0 04					

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
MYSORE.														
Mysore ...	0	00		00	0	00	0	00	0	00				
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00				
Seringapatam ...	0	44	0	00	0	44	0	00	0	44				
Hunsur ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	02	— 0	02	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	5·00	7·3
Yedatore ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00				
Heggaddevankote ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	02	0	02	Ragi	8·00	8·00	13·7
Gundlupet ...	0	09	0	01	0	09	0	02	0	07				
Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	02	— 0	02	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	11·11
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00				
Malvalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00	Kadale	4·00	4·00	6·13
Mandya ...	0	16	0	00	0	16	0	00	0	16				
Krishnarajpete ...	0	44	0	00	0	44	0	00	0	44				
Nagamangala ...	0	40	0	00	0	40	0	00	0	40				
District average...	0	12	0	00	0	12	0	01	0	00				
HASSAN.														
Hassan ...	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	07	— 0	07				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	11	0	00	0	11	— 0	11				
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	00	— 0	00	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	7·00
Belur ...	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	06	— 0	06				
Channarayapatna ...	0	11	0	01	0	11	0	12	— 0	01	Ragi	9·00	9·00	14·00
Arsikere ...	0	23	0	01	0	23	0	02	+ 0	21				
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	29	0	00	0	29	0	00	— 0	29	Kulthi	9·00	8·50	12·00
Alur ...	0	00	0	05	0	00	0	05	— 0	05				
											Kadale	4·50	4·00	6·00
District average...	0	08	0	04	0	08	0	02	0	03				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	21	— 0	21				
Channagiri ...	0	13	0	00	0	13	0	03	0	10				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	17	— 0	17				
Shikarpur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	05	— 0	05	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	5·00	6·05
Sorab ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	19	— 0	05				
Sagar ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	11	— 0	19	Ragi	11·00	11·00	14·20
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	27	— 0	11				
Tirthahalli ...	0	20	0	00	0	20	0	12	— 0	27	Kulthi	9·00	9·00	8·97
Kumsi ...	0	15	0	11	0	15	0	18	0	08				
District average...	0	05	0	01	0	05	0	14	— 0	09				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	11	— 0	11				
Kadur ...	0	10	0	02	0	10	0	04	0	06	Rice 2nd sort.	6·00	5·50	5·00
Tarikere ...	0	07	0	04	0	07	0	06	0	01				
Koppa ...	0	15	0	00	0	15	0	32	— 0	17				
Mudgere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	19	— 0	19	Ragi	10·00	10·00	11·0(
Narasimharajapura ...	0	18	0	00	0	18	0	15	0	03				
Sringeri ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	17	— 0	17	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	8·0(
											Kadale	5·00	5·00	6·0(
District average...	0	07	0	01	0	07	0	15	— 0	08				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	16	— 0	16				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	11	— 0	11	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	09	— 0	09				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	18	— 0	18	Ragi	11·00	11·00	14·00
Davangere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	01	— 0	11				
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	05	0	00	0	10	— 0	10	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	12·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	20	— 0	20				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	11	— 0	11	Cholum	11·00	11·00	13·00
Haribar ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	16	— 0	16				
											Kadale	4·00	4·00	4·0—
District average...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	12	— 0	12				
Provincial average ...	0	15	0	04	0	15	0	13	0	02				

NOTE:—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.
Kulthi—Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.

DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)		4·599	5·17	Seers per rupee.
Ragi	...	8·748	9·28	

Agricultural operations.—Paddy thrashing is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Potatoes in parts of Hoskote Taluk and Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Channapatna Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks; kulthi in parts of Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna Taluks; pulses in all the taluks; castor in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk and mulberry in parts of Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks. Punaji paddy in parts of Channapatna Taluk; kulthi in parts of Bangalore, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks; ragi in parts of Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks.

Estimated yield.—Paddy 8 annas in Bangalore Taluk, paddy 6 annas in Anekal Taluk, kulthi 12 annas in Bangalore Taluk, kulthi 8 annas in Anekal Taluk, ragi 8 to 12 annas) in Magadi Taluk, ragi 8 annas in Anekal Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Relapsing fever in parts of Nelamangala, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks. It is reported by the Amildars of Channapatna and Anekal Taluks, that effective measures have been taken to check the spread of the diseases.

12. Cattle are generally healthy except for chappe roga in Kurubarahalli village, Dodballapur Taluk. It is reported by the Amildar, Dodballapur Taluk, that reference has been made to the Veterinary Inspector to do the needful.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks, jola in Bagepalli Taluk and sugar-cane in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Paddy in parts of the Bowringpet, Chintamani, and Srinivaspur Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, probable yield 8 annas. Horse gram in parts of the Bowringpet and Chintamani Taluks. Sugar-cane in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Ragi in all parts of the district.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare, togari and horse gram are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and relapsing fever in parts of the Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.